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In the application of : Bevan, Damian
Serial No. : 09/698,797
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For : A Space-Time Coding and Channel Estimation Scheme,
Arrangement and Method
Examiner : Ware, Cicely Q
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED DECEMBER 23, 2003

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks
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Dear Sir,

In response to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2003 with reference to the above identified application it is requested that the application be amended as detailed below.